

FRENCHMEN DESERT IN SYRIA

British Gain Edge Over 'Chute Invaders in Battle of Crete

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

ALEX. H. WASHBURN

Let's Hear From DeQueen
Their Story Is Worth While

If Hope's newly-organized Junior Chamber of Commerce is looking for a real toe-hold on public interest and support I would suggest that it bring one of DeQueen's hot-shot trade promoters down here and have him explain how that town has managed to run an unbroken string of monthly Trade Days ever since 1927.

May Complete Contest Case Here Monday

Four More Witnesses to Be Heard; to Check Few More Ballots

Proceedings of the Hempstead county judge election contest case Friday, including the testimony of all but three or four witnesses, indicated possible completion of the trial by next Monday.

The unofficial 16 votes lead of contestant, John L. Wilson, remained unchanged as no ballots were checked. The court is protecting the voter by establishing his legal right to vote before checking his ballot.

Several witnesses summoned by Fred A. Luck, incumbent, will be heard Monday. All the plaintiff's witnesses have been heard.

Schools to Aid Cleanup Drive

Campaign Is Endorsed by High School Students

Plans for the Clean-up, Paint-up, Fix-up campaign met an enthusiastic reception by several hundred pupils at the High School when the program was explained by Mr. Bowen, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

Local Man to Get Army Commission

FAYETTEVILLE — Zelon Henry Holly of Hope, will receive his commission as second lieutenant in the U. S. Army at a ceremony May 29 which will mark the completion of a four years military work in the ROTC corps.

British Fleet Cuts Off Nazi Heavy Supplies

So Long as British Control Sea Invasion Will Fail, Says Churchill

BULLETIN
By the Associated Press
British anti-aircraft gunners were reported Friday to have shot down at least 16 German Junkers troop transports in the first three days of the four-day old battle of Crete, and it was further reported that the Allied defenders of the island have gained a definite edge over the Nazis.

The fiercest fighting of the conflict was said to be developing around the Malemi airport, 10 miles south of Canea, the Crete capital.

British headquarters said Nazi-borne detachments at Candia, in central Crete, and at Retimo about half way between Candia and Canea, had been accounting for, killed or taken prisoner in "bitter hand-to-hand fighting."

Prime Minister Winston Churchill reported Thursday that the Germans had occupied Candia, the old-time capital of Crete and the largest island city.

Military sources in Cairo, headquarters of the British Middle East command, said British naval guns were shattering German attempts to land troops by sea.

On the Mediterranean island itself the British said the Germans had gained only a single "decent" foothold in the Malemi sector. Elsewhere the trend was pictured as slowly turning to Britain's advantage despite new swarms of Nazi "chuteists" and other aerial troops dropping from the clouds.

As long as the British fleet can ward off sea-borne landings, it was said, there is a chance that the invasion will fail.

Virginia Gayda, Fascist editor, said that the British warships engaged in the defense of Crete included at least five big battleships, two aircraft carriers, and a powerful group of cruisers and destroyers.

A London spokesman described the British position as being "certainly as satisfactory as is was 24 hours ago."

Cairo dispatches said crowded boatloads of Nazi troops trying to reach Crete had been "blasted to bits" by British naval guns amid a developing battle between the British fleet and the German Luftwaffe's Stuka dive-bombers.

Heavy damage was said to have been inflicted on a 20-boat Axis convoy and Italian ships were seen picking up survivors.

Describes How Business School Will Operate

Miss Brumley Explains Perry Branch System to Rotary Club

How the Perry Business Schools operate in the 200 branches extending from the home office in Brunswick, Ga., was described Friday to Hope Rotary club by Miss Marguerite Brumley, field superintendent, who is here to organize a local branch.

Explaining that the Perry organization is 27 years old, and has several hundred branch schools, some of which have been in existence in their respective cities for 25 years, Miss Brumley said it asked nothing in the way of sponsorship or special aid of a city in which it located a new branch.

"We accept only high school graduates," Miss Brumley said. "And of course we must have enough initial enrollment to open on a self-sustaining basis. That is, we must have 15 to 20 students, enrolled either in day or night classes—we operate both in every school."

"Frankly, there is an obvious reason for our expansion of the Perry system at this time. A survey right here in Hope shows that there isn't a single unemployed qualified secretary or stenographer. National business itself is expanding, which, plus the countless openings made available in government work, creates an unprecedented demand for trained office workers."

"We furnish workers trained in commercial, commercial & typing, and secretarial course."

"No money is accepted from students until the branch school is actually established and started."

"And we bring in our own equipment and have our own instructors."

Rev. Thomas Brewster made an appeal for city-wide observance of Cleanup, Paintup week.

Linus Walker was chosen by the club to serve as its representative on the advisory board of the local WPA recreation project.

Guests Friday were George Peck, Arkadelphia, and Foy Hammons, Hope.

Vichy Freighters Run British Blockade With Goods Transhipped at Martinique

Nazis Use Food Control to 'Break' Conquered People

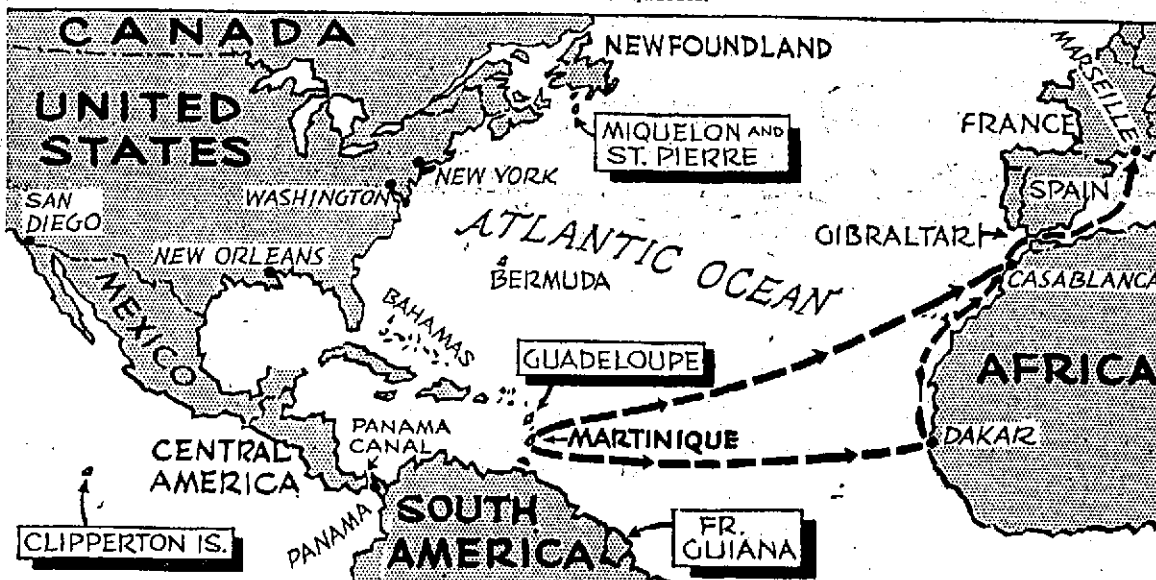
When Henry Noble Hall entered the British diplomatic service, he already had attained high distinction—in New York, in Washington and in London—as a journalist. Later, when he served as First Secretary of the British Embassy in Paris during the early months of the present war, he saw the great international drama through the eyes of a reporter. Today he is able to interpret the world scene from an intimate knowledge of great men and great events. His revelatory article below was written exclusively for NEA Service and this newspaper.

By HENRY NOBLE HALL
Written for NEA Service
The British have refrained as much as possible from interfering with French Mediterranean traffic between North Africa and Marseille. Besides, whether the British like it or not, the French have been running the blockade. And this is how:

When France was on the verge of collapse, all the gold in the Bank of France was put on board the cruiser



Townspeople in occupied France receive food rations from the hands of their German conquerors.



French colonial possessions in the Western Hemisphere—Miquelon, St. Pierre, Guadeloupe, Martinique, French Guiana and Clipperton Island—and their proximity to the United States are shown on the map above. Shown, too, are the routes by which goods transhipped at Martinique find their way through the British blockade to France.

Vincennes and taken to Halifax. Part was sent to the United States. But the major portion, including the gold belonging to Czechoslovakia and Poland and entrusted to the French for safe-keeping, was taken to Martinique, along with the 100 American planes on board the Bear.

Since then there has been a brisk increase in trade between the Gulf ports and Martinique. Goods were transhipped at Martinique, sent across the Southern Atlantic and up the west coast of Africa to Dakar or Casablanca, at times running the blockade through the straits of Gibraltar, at times trans-shipping at Casablanca and going from North African ports to Marseille.

In three weeks, according to official Vichy statistics, no fewer than 250 ships entered the port of Marseille. Did they carry what? They did not. This is what they did carry: 14,322 tons of mazout (heavy oil), 46,707 bales of rubber, 4,504 tons of lead, 1,465 bales of wool, 106,521 bags of linseed, 97,840 bags of cocoa, 44,531 bags of shelled ground nuts, 13,453 bags of almonds, 8,850 bags of palm nuts, 1,217 bags of copra, 1,432 bags of gum and resin, 60,602 bags of sugar, 17,134 bags of coffee, 18,743 casks of wine, 75 pipes of alcohol, 200 barrels of rum, 231 barrels of salted meat, 20,718 barrels of salted fish, 6,485 bags of rice flour, 12,737 bags of dried vegetables, 85,566 bunches of bananas, 1,904 cases of fresh vegetables, 9,254 cases of eggs.

How Vichy Can Run Blockade
Between 75 and 80 per cent of all these goods were requisitioned on arrival by the German and Italian armistice commissions. This is not the least dangerous form of the Vichy Government's policy of "loyal cooperation with the Reich."

The question may be asked, "Why doesn't the British navy stop this kind of thing?" The answer is that the British navy is not made of elastic. One half of it—the other half is busy in the Mediterranean—is trying to do what in the last war was done by the combined navies of Eng-

Moreland Says Industry Likely

Local Canner Interested in Melon Juice Industry

Editor The Star: I read the article on canned melon juice in The Star last night and am quite interested.

Seven years ago I wrote to Washington for information on canned melon juice. I requested that they send information on grape-juice if they could not furnish it on melon juice. I only received booklets on grape-juice.

I have done considerable research work on melon juice, etc., and have been building my business to this end for the past four years. The juice is perfectly white when removed from melon, and strained. It does not taste as good, but by adding color, sugar, etc., it makes a nice drink. I am more interested in the kind. It is very valuable in connection with my pickle business.

This melon idea should be developed. Farmers could plant plenty of melons, ship the best ones, and culls could be used for juice, pickles, preserves, relish, etc. I have been too busy building my pickle business, or finance same, but feel sure that same would go over fine, and give Hope good publicity, as well as revenue.

Am very glad you published this article, and shall be glad to do anything I can to help my community, whether it helps or hurts me. I do not request publicity, so, you may publish this letter if you see fit.

Yours very truly,
A. C. MORELAND

Urges Force to Stop Strikes

Maritime Commission Head in Outspoken Statement

WASHINGTON —(AP)—Chairman Emory S. Land of the Maritime Commission advocated before the senate defense investigating committee, Friday, the use of U. S. forces to break up a strike of union machinists which has tied up work at five shipbuilding plants in the San Francisco area.

Testifying in the committee's inquiry into the strike, Land said he thought the government ought to use any force it has at hand to enforce its right to continue work on the ships, which he described as "the most dire need in the world today."

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Assert Colony Supplies Nazis in Iraq Drive

Admiral Darlan Denies Hitler Asked Surrender of French Fleet

DAMASCUS, Syria —(AP)—A French commander and 200 volunteer soldiers have deserted to the British in Palestine and Trans-Jordan after a fight with frontier guards in which a few were killed and wounded on both sides, it was announced officially Friday night.

The commander was Col. Collet. (The French Colony, expressing anger over what he called "treachery and lying" by French mandate authorities, charged at Jerusalem that the authorities had supplied French munitions to the Nazis for use in Iraq.)

Won't Surrender Fleet
VICHY —(AP)—Vice-Premier Admiral Jean Darlan told the French people Friday that Adolf Hitler had not asked France for her fleet in current negotiations and declared firmly: "I will never hand it over."

Nor has Hitler asked for colonial concessions, said the vice-premier. "The chancellor did not ask me to hand over our fleet to him," Darlan asserted in a broadcast. "Everyone knows, and the English better than anyone, that I will never hand it over."

The chancellor did not ask me for any colonial territory. He did not ask me to declare war on England. Germany began the war alone and judges herself able to win it alone, no matter what coalition she forms. At no moment in the conversation (with Hitler) was there a question of France abandoning in any way her sovereignty," he said emphatically.

Supplies "Leak" to Nazis
LONDON —(AP)—Great Britain seized the French tanker Sheherazade, because of the imminence of a definite break in the relations between Great Britain and Vichy, a Ministry of economic Warfare spokesman declared Friday.

The spokesman said irrefutable proof that supplies now are reaching Germany through unoccupied France and French possessions; also, was a reason for British seizure of the 13,467-ton vessel, he added.

"While it is inaccurate to state that seizure of the ship was made with the approval of the United States government she nevertheless carried a number of Americans, extra-consular officials, whose duty it would have been to insure that when the ship reached port none of her cargo would have been transferred from French territory to German hands."

CIO Wins Ford Factory Vote

Polls Three Times. AFL Vote; Will Seek Contract

DETROIT —(AP)—The C. I. O. United Automobile Workers won collective bargaining rights in the Ford Motor Company's giant River Rouge and smaller Lincoln plants in Thursday's employee elections and announced Thursday night it would seek at once negotiations for a contract.

When the National Labor Rela-

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CRANIUM CRACKERS

Nursery Mysteries
Nearly every nursery rhyme, simple in verse though it may be, tells a story. Here are some questions about the characters in these rhymes, and some of the things they did. You'll find the answer somewhere in the verse of each nursery rhyme.

Answers on Comic Page

Evening Carrier Service in Fulton Begun by Star

Effective with this issue, Friday, May 23, The Star will be delivered by carrier each afternoon in Fulton simultaneously with city delivery in Hope.

Fulton is the ninth town to get same-afternoon delivery of The Star. The paper is now delivered each afternoon in the following places: East—Prescott, Emmet; South—Lewisville, Stamps, Bradley; North—Washington, Ozan, Nashville; West—Fulton.

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D & P COTTON SEED FOR SALE. Second year seed. Washington, Ark. \$1.00 per bushel. A. N. Stroud or see W. I. Stroud at Store. 14-4t

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Lost

FROM PASTURE EDGE OF TOWN, Monday night, May 12. Brindle White Face cow, horns, weight about 750 pounds. Possibly calf by side now. Call 748. Claude Sutton. 15-1t

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MY UNCLE GULLIVER LIVES IN CINCINNATI, MAJOR, AND WE MIGHT STIFF-ARM HIM FOR A LITTLE STAY! HIS RANCH ISN'T MUCH ROOMIER THAN A MOP CLOSET, BUT AUNT MAUDE CAN MAKE A COOKSTOVE SING!

WHAT'S THE ADDRESS, RUBE?

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HIGHLIGHTS FROM LATEST BOOKS

Chinese Return to Cave Man Age to Escape Bombs

Europec's war has pushed the Sino-Japanese conflict off the front pages, but the Chinese are still fighting. Joy Homer pictures the heroism of China's struggle in "Dawn Watch in China" (Houghton-Mifflin: \$3), a vivid and arresting account of a young American girl's experiences in the war-torn Orient. It is a hair-raising, stirring story. Threat of air attack, against which they have little defense, has forced the Chinese to turn back civilization's clock, return to the Cave era, as related in the following excerpt:

Other towns may boast their thousands of refugees; but only Kweilin can boast of its caves. The city is literally surrounded by queer old fangs of mountains, all virtually honey-combed with caves, echoing caverns, some of them 10 miles in length. And in their friendly interiors was enough room to house several Kweilins.

Cave dwelling started here about a month before we arrived, when a rumor crept about that the Japanese were planning to level the entire city. The rumor was, of course, exaggerated. At last report only a little more than two-thirds of the city has been destroyed.

We were informed on that first morning that about one-third of the population waited until the alarm rang before fleeing to the caves; another third shouldered its belongings and children and left the city at 10 the caves until after the raiding hour of 10 o'clock every morning, remaining in the still more cautious third was simply living in the caves with occasional forays into the out of doors.

There was nothing haphazard about the arrangement. Inhabitants of city blocks were assigned to certain specified caves during raids, much as passengers aboard ship are assigned to lifeboats. And there was more than enough room for everyone.

Napoleon's Loot Is Given Back

PARIS.—(P)—Armor breastplates and finely carved helmets which Napoleon took from Vienna and from Ambras Castle in Tyrol have been returned from Paris to Vienna.

Much of the collection represented the finest selections of German armor design. Particularly prized was a splendidly decorated war costume of Francis I of France, who began his reign in 1559, a year after he had married Queen Mary Stuart of Scotland.

WASH TUBBS

ASHLEY VICKI AND THE SPECIAL AGENTS SURVEY THE WRECKED "CASTRO" SUITE

PERKINS HAS BEEN BLACKJACKED... EASY'S GONE!

THERE ARE BLOOD STAINS ON THE BATHROOM FLOOR!!

POPEYE

"Second Wind."

BLUNK!

YOU'LL FALL

THEY ALWAYS FALL WHEN DANNY JONES USES HIS BLACKJACK

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DONALD DUCK

The Beachcomber

YEP WE'RE PITCHIN' PENNIES

OH, I SEE! THE ONE WHO GETS NEAREST TO THE CRACK WINS!

IF YOU LET ME IN THE GAME I'LL Toss A QUARTER AGAINST YOUR PENNIES, BOYS!

OKAY! WE'LL THROW FIRST, UNCA DONALD

PRETTY CLOSE, BOYS, BUT THIS'LL BE...

CLANK! THUD!

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BLONDIE

Anybody Gotta Map?

LET THE WATER RUN OUT OF THE BABY'S BATHNETTE, PLEASE, BEFORE WE GO DOWNSTAIRS

I DON'T KNOW HOW IT WORKS

JUST TURN THE LITTLE SPIGOT UNDERNEATH AND IT WILL RUN OUT

OH, YES, I SEE IT

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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Of All Things

REALLY, STEPHEN... THAT ISN'T VERY DIGNIFIED WORK! WHY NOT HIRE SOMEONE TO DO IT?—LINDSEY BEAD IS LISTING

MISTUH PROFESSOR, CAN'T YOU DO ANY GOME CHING TING? IT'S ONLY ELEVEN O'CLOCK AND YOU WUDDEN MISTUH BEAD ALWAYS SLEEPS TILL LUNCH TIME!

RED RYDER

The Shock'll Be Mutual

BALANCE TO BE PAID WHEN MISTER RYDER DELIVERS CATTLE STOCK ABOARD SHIP IN SAN FRANCISCO, MESSY DUCHESSE!

AGREED! LI SING!

ROUND UP A THOUSAND HEAD OF THE BEST CRITTERS, RED! I'LL DRIVE LI SING BACK TO TOWN AND MAKE ANGE FOR CATTLE CARS!

GOOD AS DONE!

ALLEY OOP

Whence All but Him Had Fled

HAVE THE PRISONERS, CAPN? THE TWO WHATS LEFT? THE BIG ONE HAD GOT AWAY!

GOT AWAY? IMPOSSIBLE! NO MAN ALIVE COULD BLUST THOSE IRONS!

BUT THEY ALL HAD BLUSTED LOOSE!

WELL, THE SWAB'S GOTTA BE ON THE SHIP SOMEWHERE! FIND HIM!

BUT SIR, WE'VE ALREADY SEARCHED TH' SHIP FROM STERN TO STERN!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Hector, the Irrepressible

I DIDN'T SELL A SINGLE TICKET! DID YOU HAVE ANY LUCK, BRAIN TRUST?

YEAH, MAN! LOTS OF IT! ALL FOUL!

QUOTE—DITTO! UNQUOTE!

LOOK, MEATBALLS— I KNOW TEN PEOPLE WHO ARE COMIN' TO THAT BOOGIN' PICNIC—AND I GOT TWENTY-FIVE SMACKERS TO PROVE IT!

YOU'RE A GENIUS! HOW'D YOU SWING IT?

ALL I DID WAS TO LET HORACE RUN LOOSE IN TEN DIFFERENT BACK YARDS— THEN I WENT IN AN OFFERED TICKETS FOR SALE!

I TOLD THE LADY AT EACH HOUSE THAT IF SHE'D BUY A TICKET, I'D LOOK FOR MY PET SNAKE!

By Roy Crane

THE WORK OF THOSE FOREIGN AGENTS... HERE'S WHAT'S LEFT OF THE EVIDENCE PERKINS WAS TAKING

QUICK, VICKI! CALL THE MANAGEMENT... HAVE ALL HOTEL EXITS WATCHED... RUSH ELEVATOR TO THIS FLOOR... NOTIFY FBI... GET SOME MEN OVER HERE... AT ONCE... COME ON, BOB! WE MAY BE ABLE TO CATCH 'EM BEFORE THEY GET AWAY!

Thimble Theater

SAY, ARE YOU HUMAN? WAS I YAM HOOMIN?

WAS JUS' MAKIN' UP ME MIND WHICH HAND TO SOCK YA WIT!

WHAT THE—!!

SMACK!

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By Walt Disney

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By Chic Young

YOU DIDN'T TELL ME TO PUT THE BUCKLE UNDER IT!

IT'S RAINING

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By Edgar Martin

I SAY, OLD BOY... MUST YOU DO THAT SO EARLY IN THE DAY?

"HE NEVER WAS CONSIDERATE OF OTHER PEOPLE'S FEELINGS!"

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By Fred Harman

LOOKS LIKE THIS IS GOIN' TO BE QUITE A TRIP LITTLE BEAVER!

ME CAN'T WAIT TO SEE-UM BIG CITY!

YEAH, BUT WAIT TILL SAN FRANCISCO SEES YOU!

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By V. T. Hamlin

MEANWHILE... ON BOARD THE LOOTED SHIP...

WHY, THEM!! Y'***! THEY GOT AWAY WHILE I WAS GITTIN' FROM UNDER THAT PILE OF BUSTED RIGGIN'!

SEE DOWN IN THE SHIP'S HOLD...

PFFTZZ

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By Merrill Blosser

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SOCIETY

Daisy Dorothy Heard, Editor

Telephone 768

Social Calendar

Friday, May 23rd
Mrs. Thompson Evans Jr. will entertain at an afternoon bridge party, 2:30 o'clock.

Friday Bridge club, home of Mrs. Floyd Porterfield, 2:30 o'clock.

Friday Music club, home of Mrs. George Ware, 3:30 o'clock. The Friday Music club chorus will practice at 2:30 o'clock.

Saturday, May 24th
Important call meeting of the Rose Garden club, home of Mrs. Garrett Story, 3 o'clock.

Clara Lowthorp chapter of the Children of the Confederacy, home of Nell Jean Byers with Eunice Dale Baker and Mary Jo Monroe, co-hostesses, 9:30 a. m.

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PENNY SERENADE



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Dinner Party Piques High Scorers

At 7 o'clock Thursday the low scorers of the 'Seven and One' club were hostesses to the high scorers of the club at a delightful dinner party in the private dining room of the Barlow hotel.

An attractive arrangement of red, white, and blue summer garden flowers in a crystal bowl placed on a mirror reflector and flanked by four white lilies in crystal holders formed the centerpiece. Flowers and place cards further carried out the patriotic motif.

Covers were marked for Miss Mary Lemley, Miss Patricia Thompson, Miss Daisy Dorothy Heard, Miss Josephine Morris, Mrs. Bill Summersville, Miss Mary Della Carrigan, and Mrs. Lon Dickson.

After the dinner the hostesses invited their guests to see the movie at the Saenger Theater.

Miss Joella Gold and Joe Armour Have Church Wedding

The candlelight wedding of Miss Joella Gold, only daughter of Mrs. Ella Frazier, Gold, and the late Sterling Olin Gold of Washington, and Joe Armour, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Armour of Gasville, was beautifully solemnized Sunday night, May 19 at the Washington Presbyterian church. The pastor, Dr. J. C. Williams read the impressive ring ceremony in the presence of a large assemblage of relatives and friends.

For the marriage rites the altar of the church was banked with Southern-style flowers which was an artistic arrangement of tall white lilies in five and seven branch candelabra and floor baskets of white gladioli and snapdragons.

The church played a program of pre-nuptial music and accompanied Miss Margaret Bowman of Foreman, who sang "I Love You Truly" and "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life." The traditional wedding marches were used and "Because" was played during the ceremony.

Miss Evelyn Anna May of Washington and Miss Mabel Helen Stephens of Bleivins lighted the tapers preceding the ceremony. They wore full length dresses - Miss May in pink and Miss Stephens in pink with blue cornflowers and statice.

Miss Roberta Stuart of Marshall, Texas, as maid of honor, wore a modish frock of blue chiffon and carried a colonial bouquet of pink sweet peas. The bridesmaids were Miss Mary Belle Frazier and Miss Sara Jane Stephens of Texarkana, cousins of the bride. Miss Frazier's costume was of blue marquisette and her colonial bouquet was of yellow roses and white sweetpeas. Miss Stephens wore rose chiffon and carried a colonial bouquet of pink and blue cornflowers.

Little Miss Frances Frazier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Frazier, was the flower girl, and little Miss Sarah June Etter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Etter, carried the ring on a white satin pillow.

The ushers were K. B. Spears of Hope and Earl Peebles of Smithville. W. Melson Frazier, cousin of the bride, served Mr. Armour as best man.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her great-uncle, W. V. Frazier, was lovely in her wedding gown of white slipper satin, made with fitted bodice, sweetheart neck, leg o'mutton sleeves ending in a point over the hands, and a full skirt terminating in a three yard train. Her veil of illusion fell from a flowered marquisette tiara with tiny pearl buds. She carried a white Bible on which was an orchid with showy effect of staphanotis. Her only ornament was a heirloom pearl and cameo necklace, the gift of her aunt, Mrs. J. B. Muldrow.

The bride's mother, Mrs. Ella Gold, wore a becoming dress of rose sheen and corsage of variegated sweetpeas. Her aunt, Miss Lulu Frazier wore navy sheen with pearl clip, and corsage of white sweetpeas.

The wedding reception took place following the ceremony at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. May. The bride and groom and members of the wedding party received on the porch of the May home. The wedding cake embossed with roses and hearts and topped with miniature bride and groom, and brick icecream was served to the guests on the spacious lawn.

For traveling the bride chose a becoming costume suit of navy blue sheen with navy and white accessories, with which she wore an orchid corsage.

Mr. and Mrs. Armour are both graduates of Arkansas College, Mrs. Armour majoring in dramatic art. The past year the bride has been English instructor in Bleivins High School, and the groom has been a member of

Saenger - Sunday - Monday



"Penny Serenade" with Cary Grant and Irene Dunne

the faculty of Flippin High School. The young couple will make their home at Cotter.

Personal Mention

Mrs. P. Oden of Longview, Texas is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Allison. On Thursday Mrs. Allison and her guests visited friends in Hot Springs.

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Lt. and Mrs. Jack Cornett of San Antonio will be the week-end guests of Mrs. A. F. Honegan and other friends in the city.

Friends of Mrs. Leo Anderson of Columbus will be glad to know that her condition is reported improved according to Julia Chester hospital attendants.

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Mrs. D. M. Finley of St. Louis has arrived in the city for a visit with friends.

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Mrs. Dexter Bailey has returned from a weeks visit with friends at Arkansas Tech at Russellville.

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Mrs. S. L. Murphy left Friday morning for Russellville to visit her son Leroy, a student at Arkansas Tech.

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Mrs. Ross Williams and Mrs. Dexter Bailey have returned from a visit with relatives and friends in Little Rock. They were the inspiration of a lovely afternoon party.

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Mrs. Royston Green of Tunica, Miss. is the guest of her father, W. O. Reece, and Mrs. Reece.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Keith have as their guests Mrs. Keith's sister, Mrs. L. G. Fuller and son, Jack, of Cotton Valley, La.

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Mrs. William Beaulair has returned from a visit with her daughter, Miss Hattie Tyne, and Mrs. M. N. Markreuter in Kansas City.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Racial and Religious Bigotry Leads As Vicious Foe of True Christianity
Text: Acts 11:3-18

By WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.
Editor of Advance
"The story of the conversion of Cornelius," says Dr. Earl L. Douglas, "is the story of how Christianity emerged from a Jewish sect into a world religion."

It is that, but it is also a great deal more. It is the story of the conflict of Christian truth and experience with prejudice, and it is insistent in its emphasis that Christianity is inherently opposed to every form of narrowness and bigotry. The two forms of prejudice that stem to be deepest and most persistent in the world are racial prejudice and religious prejudice. Both were involved in this story.

Cornelius, an officer in a Roman regiment, was a Gentile and a representative of the power that held Palestine in subjection. Nevertheless, he was a devout man, and he saw in a vision a messenger who told him that he should send for Simon Peter, who was then lodging in Joppa at the house of Simon, the tanner.

Cornelius, like Paul, was obedient to the heavenly vision, and his messengers came and stood before the tanner's house, but Peter also needed a vision before he was ready for the reception of these visitors and to respond to the call of Cornelius. We are told that Peter was up

Legal Notice

Notice of Filing of Application for Liquor Permit

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed with the Commissioner of Revenues of the State of Arkansas for permit to sell and dispense vinous or spirituous liquors for beverage at retail on the premises described as 112 West Second Street, Hope, Arkansas.

Application is for permit to be issued for operation beginning on the first day of July, 1941 and expiring on the 30th day of June, 1942, as prescribed by Bulletin dated January 7, 1938 and Supplemental Regulation No. 19 effective July 10, 1937.

Mrs. Gorda Crutchfield Applicant

Church News

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

William R. Hamilton, Pastor

Sunday School meets at 9:45 to the study of God's word. The attendance last Sunday of 388 fell below the 400 mark for the first time in many weeks. We should do better next Sunday.

No morning service on account of the Commencement sermon at the Saenger Theater. Sunday School will be dismissed 25 minutes before the opening of his service, allowing ample time for everyone to secure a seat.

Training Union Assembly by departments at 7:00 p. m. preceded by a meeting of the Training Union Cabinet at 6:00.

The Church Service Sunday night will be of special interest to young people. The pastor will preach on: "Youth Today."

The public is cordially invited to all services of First Baptist church.

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GARRETT MEMORIAL BAPTIST
D. O. Silvey, Pastor

Sunday School will meet at 9:30. The hour has been changed so that Sunday School will be over in time to attend the Commencement Services.

All classes of the B. T. C. meet at 6:45 p. m.

Ladies Auxiliary meets Monday afternoon at 2:30.

Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:30.

A most sincere invitation and welcome is extended to you to come to our church.

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ST. MARK'S
Rev. Harry Wintermeyer, Pastor

The Sunday After Ascension Day, 7:30 a. m. The Holy communion. There will be no 11 o'clock service this morning because of the Baccalaureate service of the graduating class of the Hope high school.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Thos. Bremser, Minister

Sunday school 9:45 o'clock, with classes for all age groups.

No morning worship, in view of annual High School Baccalaureate service.

Young peoples meeting 6:30 p. m. Evening preaching at 7:30. All our people are urged to make a special effort.

on the housetop to pray. His prayerful spirit did not prevent his becoming hungry and sleepy, and he fell into a trance.

It was in this trance that he saw a vision of a great sheet being let down by the four corners, in which were all manner of beasts, creeping things, and fowl. There came a voice, saying to him, "Rise, Peter; kill, and eat," but Peter replied, "Not so, Lord; for I have never eaten anything that is common or unclean." Then came the real message of the vision: "What God hath cleansed, that call not thou common."

When this had been repeated three times and Peter was wondering what the vision could mean, the messengers arrived from Cornelius.

The coincidence was too marked for even Peter, with his strong prejudices, to miss the divine teaching and rebuke. He went to Cornelius, and he found there such evidence of the work of grace that he was ready to baptize Cornelius, saying, "Of a truth I perceive that God is in every nation he that feareth him, and worketh righteousness, is accepted with him."

Could anything be plainer for Peter's day or for ours in the application of all this to these two prejudices that still afflict mankind? Too often these very prejudices have been bolstered, instead of rebuked, by profession of Christianity. In our own time we have seen the so-called "Christian Front."

The only real Christian front is a front of love and kindness and good will—a recognition that God is no respecter of persons. Let us oppose evil as evil, wherever and in whom it is found.

Let us recognize men for the goodness that is in them, no matter what their race or color, and no matter how much their outward creed may differ from our own. This is the spirit of Christianity.

Dunne-Grant Romantic Hit

'Penny Serenade' Opens at Saenger on Sunday

Excitingly reunited in George Stevens' "Penny Serenade," Irene Dunne and Cary Grant return to the Saenger theater screen on Sunday in what has been acclaimed by Hollywood as the greatest romantic drama of the year. Vivid, absorbing story of an errant newspaperman and his wife, "Penny Serenade" is based upon Martha Cheavens' magazine novel, adapted to the screen by Morris Ryskind, and enacted by a stellar cast which includes Beulah Bondi and Edgar Buchanan.

As the reporter Grant has been praised for a performance which tops in sincerity, in gay good humor and dramatic content anything he has been equally lauded for her work.

In "Penny Serenade," Grant appears as a young newspaperman who meets and is immediately attracted to a music store salesgirl, portrayed by Miss Dunne, who as definitely falls in love with the reporter. They are married, one New Year's Eve, half an hour before he must leave for Tokyo on a new assignment. Three months later, the girl joins her husband. Grant's casual attitude towards responsibilities invites a barrier between the two. The earthquake, the loss of the baby they had been expecting and the knowledge that they can never have a child of their own, create further problems.

Returned to America, and settled down as the proud editor of a small country newspaper, Grant attempts to make his wife happy. But he succeeds only when they adopt a baby girl; from that moment on, their marriage assumes a newer and richer meaning. And then with the death of the child

fort to support the service. Mid-week service, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

Cooperate in national defense by supporting your church, attending is service, and undergirding it with your prayers and effort.

FIRST CHRISTIAN

North Main & West Avenue B
John Keith Gregory, Minister

Bible school, 9:45 a. m.

Christian Endeavor society 7:15 p. m.

Evening worship and communion service 7:45 p. m.

Out of consideration for Baccalaureate our Lord's Day morning worship and communion will be suspended at the evening hour next Sunday. The Minister's sermon theme will be: "Let Us Labor For the Master."

The public is invited to attend, and worship the Lord with us.

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several years later, the newspaperman reverts to his earlier irresponsibility. The marriage veers on divorce.

In resolving the basic theme of "Penny Serenade," Stevens is said to call upon the utmost in screen craftsmanship, and Miss Dunne and Grant contribute histrionic moments of beauty and lasting effect so that the film ends in a sequence of laughter and tears.

March of Time
The first motion picture story of the newest phase of the war—the battle of the Atlantic—will be brought to the screen of the Saenger Theater here Sunday in the latest March of Time film, "Crisis in the Atlantic," which shows the many aspects of the current struggle to keep open the sea lanes over which war materials and vital foodstuffs must safely and quickly be carried to Britain.

This latest film scoop by the Editors of The March of Time includes several sequences of exclusive pictures which moviegoers have never yet had an opportunity to see. It includes thrilling scenes filmed by March of Time cameramen during a long and perilous voyage from Canada to England aboard a tanker in convoy, and the first picture to arrive in the U. S. from Greenland—Denmark's strategic island continent in the Western Hemisphere, now under full U. S. protection.

Besides the operation of the convoy system, this latest March of Time also shows the ships and planes of the U. S. navy in action patrolling newly-extended sea areas to watch for lurking Nazi raiders.

The film also depicts the joint U. S.-Canadian defense efforts on the military, naval, industrial and home fronts, and shows how the U. S. is today making its irrefragable iron band of hoses stretching from the Arctic to the South Atlantic.

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14 Miners Dead in Explosion

17 Others Escape in Bicknell (Ind.) Tragedy

BICKNELL, Ind.—(AP)—The bodies of 14 miners killed by an explosion in the Panhandle mine near here were brought to the surface Friday one by one.

Seventeen other men working on the same level emerged safely from the underground workings by a circuitous two-and-a-half mile route after the explosion Thursday night.

Couldn't Take it

AUBURN, N. Y. (AP)—A radio stolen from a music store last Christmas has been returned in perfect condition. A note accompanying it said: "Please accept the apology to the sender."

The annual number of pneumonia cases in the United States is about 500,000. Before introduction of sulfa-
nilamide, about 160,000 were fatal.

In addition a large schooner, of the type which the Germans use to carry munitions, was sunk and smaller

one hit several times, the report said.

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